

**SENATE CONCURRENT
RESOLUTION No. _____**

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED RESOLUTION

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION to recognize James Howell for his
dedicated service to the Centerville community.

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_____, read first time and referred to Committee on



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Whereas, James Howell has been a resident of Centerville, Indiana since 1937. After a successful high school athletic career in Centerville, amassing twelve varsity letters in four years, Mr. Howell accepted a basketball scholarship to Butler University where he played for Coach Tony Hinkle;

Whereas, after receiving his degree in 1954, Mr. Howell served his country in the Army Missile Corp until 1956. Upon completing his service, Mr. Howell began his career in education as a teacher and coach at Milton High School. He returned to Butler University to earn his Masters Degree and Superintendent's License in 1962;

Whereas, upon achieving his own educational goals, Mr. Howell returned to Centerville Senior High School where, over a period of thirty-two years, he held various positions, including coach, guidance counselor, and principal;

Whereas, in addition to his contributions to the Centerville school system, Mr. Howell has served his community as a member of the Reid Hospital Foundation Board, as Chairman of the Wayne County Board of Health and the Senior Center, as an active member of the Centerville Lions Club and as an elder and fifty year member of the Centerville Christian Church;



Whereas, Mr. Howell's efforts as an educator have been recognized on numerous occasions by his receipt of the Outstanding Educator, Outstanding Administrator, and Regional Schools I-Star awards. Additionally, the Centerville School System honored Mr. Howell for his dedicated service by naming the school gymnasium the "James Howell Gymnasium";

Whereas, the Centerville community holds Mr. Howell in very high regard. In recognition of his numerous contributions to the community, Mr. Howell has received an Outstanding Citizen Award, the Lions Club President's Award and was also presented with the state's highest honor, the Sagamore of the Wabash, by the governor; and

Whereas, in addition to the numerous contributions made to the Centerville community, Mr. Howell and his wife Marjorie, have held their family as their highest priority throughout fifty years of marriage. They are the proud parents of two children and grandparents of four wonderful grandchildren. Therefore,

Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, the House of Representatives concurring:

1 SECTION 1. That the Indiana State Senate recognizes James
2 Howell for his numerous contributions and dedicated service to the
3 Centerville community throughout his lifetime.

4 SECTION 2. The Secretary of the Senate is directed to transmit a
5 copy of this Resolution to James Howell, his wife Marjorie Howell, and
6 his two sons, Mark Howell and Brad Howell.

